IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

RAHEEM JACKSON, : No. 3:25cv1054

Plaintiff : (Judge Munley)

:

v.

BRENDA LAUREN, et al.,

Defendants

ORDER

AND NOW, to wit, this ______day of June 2025, upon preliminary review of plaintiff's complaint pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1915(e)(2) and 28 U.S.C. § 1915A, and for the reasons set forth in the accompanying memorandum, it is hereby ORDERED that:

- Plaintiff's application to proceed in forma pauperis is GRANTED. (Doc. 2).
- Plaintiff shall pay the full filing fee of \$350.00, based on the financial information provided in the application to proceed in forma pauperis. The full filing fee shall be paid regardless of the outcome of the litigation.
- Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1915(b)(1) and (2), the Superintendent/ Warden, or other appropriate official at plaintiff's place of confinement is directed to deduct an initial partial filing fee of 20% of the greater of:
 - The average monthly deposits in the inmate's prison account for the past six months, or

b. The average monthly balance in the inmate's prison account for the past six months.

The initial partial filing fee shall be forwarded to the Clerk of the United States District Court for the Middle District of Pennsylvania, P.O. Box 1148, Scranton, Pennsylvania, 18501-1148, to be credited to the above-captioned docket number. In each succeeding month, when the amount in plaintiff's inmate trust fund account exceeds \$10.00, the Superintendent/Warden, or other appropriate official, shall forward payments to the Clerk of Court equaling 20% of the preceding month's income credited to plaintiff's inmate trust fund account until the fees are paid. Each payment shall reference the above-captioned docket number.

- The Clerk of Court is directed to SEND a copy of this order to the Superintendent/Warden of the institution wherein plaintiff is presently confined.
- 5. The complaint is **DEEMED** filed.
- The complaint (Doc. 1) is **DISMISSED** without prejudice pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1915(e)(2)(B)(ii).
- Plaintiff shall FILE a proposed amended complaint on or before June 26, 2025, that fully complies with Rules 8 and 20 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure.
- The proposed amended complaint shall contain the same case number that is already assigned to this action, 3:25-cv-1054, and shall be direct, concise, and shall stand-alone without reference to any other document filed in this matter. <u>See</u> FED. R. CIV. P. 8(e).
- Plaintiff is strictly cautioned that the inclusion of separate, unrelated claims and parties will be considered a failure to comply with an order of court. See FED. R. CIV. P. 20.
- Failure to timely comply with the directive in paragraph 7 will result in dismissal of this action without further notice of court.

11. Any appeal from this order is **DEEMED** frivolous and not taken in good faith. See 28 U.S.C. 1915(a)(3).

BY THE COURT:

JUDGE JULIA K. MUNLEY United States District Court